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"Serve the Church that the Church May Serve You."

## CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH BLAIRMORE

Rev. E. B. Arrol, B.A., Minister

Sunday services—  
11.00 a.m., Senior school.  
2.00 p.m., Junior school.  
7.30 p.m., Public Worship.  
Wednesday, 7.30 p.m., Prayer service.

## ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, NOTES

Rev. J. R. Hague, A.C., Incumbent

Services Sunday next:  
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11 a.m., Morning service.

## REGULAR BAPTISTS

Rev. J. W. MacDonald, Minister.

In the Union hall. Services Sundays:  
11 a.m., Senior and Junior Sunday school.

7.30 p.m., Song service; 7.45, evening worship.

Thursday, 7.30 p.m., Prayer and Bible study.

Service in Frank 2 p.m. Sundays. You are cordially invited to our services.

## THE SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN

Capt. F. Watson - Lieut. R. Weddell.

Sunday: 10.15 a.m., directory (Y. P.) meeting; 11 a.m., holiness meeting; 2.30 p.m., Sunday school; 7.30 p.m., Salvation meeting.

Monday: 6 p.m., boys' fretwork club.

Tuesday: 7.30 p.m., home league meeting.

Wednesday: 8 p.m., praise meeting.

Friday: 7.30 p.m., red shield auxiliary (war service).

Funerals and dedications on application to the local officers.

We stand ready to serve the people.

## CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Near the Depot, Coleman

Pastor: Rev. Leonard Falk, Th.B.

Services: Sunday school at 11 a.m.

Morning worship at 12 noon. Street meeting at 6.30 p.m., in front of Coleman hotel.

Evangelistic service at 7.30 p.m.

Tuesday, 7.30 p.m., Bible study.

Friday, 7.30 p.m., Prayer meeting.

## MRS SAMUEL RICHARDS PASSES AT HILLCREST

Death claimed another highly respected and very well known old timer of The Pass on Sunday last in the person of Catherine Matilda, beloved wife of Mr. Samuel Richards, who passed away at Hillcrest in her sixty-fourth year.

Funeral service was held in the Hillcrest United church on Thursday afternoon, Rev. Richard Upton, of Bellevue, officiating, and interment was made in the Hillcrest cemetery. A. E. Ferguson, of Crows' Nest Funeral Home, was in charge of arrangements.

## COLEMAN BOY KILLED

Ralph, only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rippon, was accidentally killed while working at the International Coal & Coke Company's tipple at Coleman yesterday afternoon.

Ralph, aged 19, had but recently completed his high school course, and had looked forward to taking up engineering.

Particulars of the accident are not available as we go to press.

Ralph is survived by his parents, Mr. W. L. Rippon, manager of the Coleman Branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, and Mrs. Rippon, and one sister, Lorraine.

Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed, but in all probability the funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon.

We understand an inquest is being held at Coleman today.

## C.W.I. ELECT OFFICERS

At the regular monthly meeting of the St. Anne's branch of the Catholic Women's League on Friday night, Mrs. J. V. McDougall, first vice-president; Mrs. C. M. L. Barlaetter, second vice-president; Mrs. O. Diamond, third vice-president; Mrs. R. C. Old, secretary; and Mrs. L. L. Morgan, treasurer.

Treasurer's report showed the branch to be in fairly good financial shape.

Mrs. Gillis, the retiring president, thanked the members for co-operation and assistance during the year, and requested that the same kind consideration be given her successor in office.

B. O. Morrow, former Royal Bank manager at Cowley, Magrath and Lethbridge, died suddenly at Vancouver on Thursday night of last week, aged 49. The remains were laid to rest at Vancouver on Monday, Rev. J. W. Melvin, formerly of Lethbridge, officiating. He is survived by his wife and two children.

## ANNUAL MUSICAL FESTIVAL TO OPEN MONDAY NEXT

The fifteenth annual Crows' Nest Pass Musical Festival will get under way at the Columbus hall on Monday morning next, with Mr. Filmer E. Hubble, choirmaster of St. Augustine church, Winnipeg, as adjudicator.

We understand that no less than 275 entries are in the hands of the secretary, Mr. Harry Stobbs, of Hillcrest, and the programme committee feel that patrons will be provided with a very high standard of vocal and instrumental competitions. As usual, the evening performances will be the major attractions.

Morning, afternoon and evening sessions will occupy Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. A large number of the entrants will come from points distant as far as Kimberley and Lumberton to the west and Macleod and Clareholm to the east.

The Crows' Nest Pass Musical Festival was inaugurated in 1925, first as a Sunday school affair, and very largely through the influence of Rev. W. T. Young, then minister of the Central Union church in Blairmore. His name will ever be associated with the progress of the festival in this district. His name is still given place in the list of honorary executive, and, as far as can be learned, his interest in the movement is as keen today as it ever was, though living at Edmonton. Coupled with the name of Mr. Young must be those of Mrs. D. G. Mackenzie (now of Calgary), Mrs. R. Pinkney, Mr. W. H. Moore, Mrs. J. H. Farmer, Mrs. G. Steeves, Mrs. A. L. Frechalm (Pincher Creek), Mr. William Kerr, Mr. J. E. Upton, Mr. G. E. Cruickshank, Mr. G. Pattinson, Mr. W. H. Stobbs, and probably above all, the late Mr. Frank J. Smith, whose memory will be carried on through the medium of a splendid trophy for annual competition.

Interest in the festival is not waning by any means. Instead, the benefits of the idea of competition is being felt and keenly apparent, particularly among the younger set of our communities.

## WIND-UP OF WINTER PHYSICAL TRAINING

On Thursday evening last, in the Columbus hall, the ladies' section of the Crows' Nest Pass physical training classes wound up their season's activities with a splendid demonstration. Taking part were representatives of Coleman, Hillcrest, Bellevue and Blairmore.

Major J. H. Ross, director of youth and physical training for Alberta, was present, and was well pleased with the success attending efforts here and the demonstration, which was highly up to the average. He congratulated Miss McDonald, of Coleman, rated as one of the best leaders in the work in the province. In appreciation by the classes of her work, Miss McDonald was presented with an overnight bag.

The programme concluded with a dance, for which the Arcadians furnished music.

Classes have been held throughout the winter months, and quite a number of the ladies of The Pass, realizing the benefits of physical training, attended, being instructed by Miss McDonald.

Mrs. H. A. McVicar sustained a broken leg through a fall on a wet sidewalk at Hillcrest on Tuesday of last week. She was rushed to the Hillcrest hospital and attended by Dr. Rose, and is reported doing favorably.

Robins and bluebirds that landed in the Crows' Nest Pass about two weeks ago, probably illegally, were called back to report at migration headquarters in California yesterday. They made use of the air both coming and returning.

## MRS. OLIVER PASSES AFTER LONG SIEGE OF ILLNESS

Following an illness of over a year, Anna, beloved wife of William Oliver, local dairy proprietor, passed away on Saturday forenoon last at the age of 45½ years.

The late Mrs. Oliver, whose maiden name was Anna Fulton, was born at Bass River, Nova Scotia, and came west about twenty-four years ago. For a while she taught school north of Cowley, and on May 21st, 1918, was married to Mr. William Oliver at the Institutional church, Coleman. Rev. D. K. Allan officiating, at which time they took up residence here.

She has been a continuous resident of Blairmore ever since and was ever active in church, society and social work. For several years she was a member of the United church board and took a very active part in Sunday school work. She was also a charter member of Crowview Rebekah Lodge. Through her kindly and sympathetic disposition she was beloved by all who knew her, and her loss to the community and The Pass will be keenly felt.

Her parents predeceased her in Nova Scotia some years ago. Surviving are her husband; one sister, Mrs. Freeman Lank, of Bass River; two brothers, Warren, of Almondale, Alberta, who visited the sick room very recently, and George, of Cutback, Montana, who was present for the last rites; also five children, Rose, Marion, Jean, George and Hugh, to whom sympathy is extended.

Funeral took place from the Crows' Nest Funeral Chapel to the United church on Monday afternoon, where service was conducted by Rev. E. B. Arrol, B.A., who paid high tribute to one whose place in the community will be hard to fill. Favorite hymns of the deceased were used, and Miss L. Fraser sang "There's a Land that is Fairer Than Day." The church was packed to overflowing with sorrowing relatives and friends.

Following the service, the funeral cortege, one of the largest in the town's history, wended its way to the Union cemetery, where following last rites of the church and the Rebekah Lodge, the remains were laid to rest. Members of Coleman, Bellevue and Blairmore Rebekah lodges attended in a body, marshaled by Bro. A. Morency. A large number of beautiful floral tributes adorned the graveside.

Friends and relatives attending from outside points included Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Morrison, Harry Gunn, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Lank, George Mowat, L. M. Cleland, H. Rogers and others from the Cowley district; Dr. V. V. Christie, of Cardston; Rev. Roy and Mrs. Taylor, of Pincher Creek; A. M. Connelly, of Lundbreck, and Mr. and Mrs. Elvey, of Calgary.

Honorary pallbearers were: D. R. McKay, F. M. Thompson, Harland Lank, J. R. Warner, H. C. Morrison and George Mowat; pallbearers: J. B. Harmer, Roland Pinkney, S. G. Bannan, A. S. May, D. MacPherson and Frank Lyon.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to gratefully acknowledge the flowers and many expressions of kindness shown during Mrs. Oliver's illness; also for the many tokens of sympathy and assistance given in various ways during our recent bereavement.

WM. OLIVER and FAMILY.

Mrs. Thomas Clarke, who had been visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ennis, returned to Vancouver last week.

During the week efforts were being made to draft a new version of "It's Springtime in The Rockies." The idea was prompted by about a foot of new snow and ten to twenty degrees of frost.

## "NOVELTY NIGHTS"

A new and fun-galore form of entertainment will be presented at the Columbus hall, Blairmore, on Saturday, Monday and Tuesday, April 27, 29 and 30, by St. Anne's Parish.

Gorgeous mirth-providing fashion parade, gowns and models of London, Paris, Hong Kong and Shanghai. A tapestry display of Persian art and color. All the attractions of the "Fair." Three glorious nights. Free prizes every night—only, be in the hall when the draws are made.

Watch for further particulars on large posters.

## FORMER BLAIRMORE BOY WITH PORT ARTHUR 'CATS

Bill Turner, Harold Pinkney and Roland Pinkney, accompanied by J. Johnson, of Fernie, motored to Calgary Tuesday to take in the Stampede-Bearcats hockey game. While there they had the pleasure of renewing acquaintance with a former Blairmore boy, Bill Elwin, member of the Bearcats. Bill is son of G. N. Elwin, former Blairmore druggist, who was a star performer for the Blairmore team some twenty years ago.

Although he left Blairmore at the age of nine years, Bill had many pleasant recollections of his childhood days spent here. He is on the staff of the Bank of Montreal branch at Port Arthur, and after being out of hockey for two years, during which time he was stationed away from the city, he returned this winter to take a place on the team, although he did not join it until two months after the season started.

## ORPHEUM

- THEATRE - BLAIRMORE -

## LAST TIME TONIGHT

April 12th.

LOUIS BROMFIELD'S

## "The Rains Came"

- with -

Myrna LOY Tyrone POWER

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SAT. - MON. - TUES.

April 13 - 15 - 16

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WED. - THURS. - FRI.

April 17 - 18 - 19

## "Swiss Family Robinson"

- with -

Freddie Bartholomew

Thos. Mitchell, Edna Best

Every Canadian farmer is entitled to regard himself this year as a soldier of the soil. The Empire expects every man to do his duty.

E. C. Cameron, secretary of the Lethbridge Y.M.C.A., was a visitor to The Pass this week in connection with organization for the forthcoming funds drive, which opens on Monday next.

## OPENING MONDAY MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK FIFTEENTH ANNUAL CROWS' NEST PASS MUSICAL FESTIVAL

COLUMBUS HALL - BLAIRMORE

MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY

Apr. 15 - Apr. 16 - Apr. 17

COMPETITIONS in Piano, Violin, Vocal, Open Solo, Choir, Chorus, Quartet, Orchestra, Band, etc.

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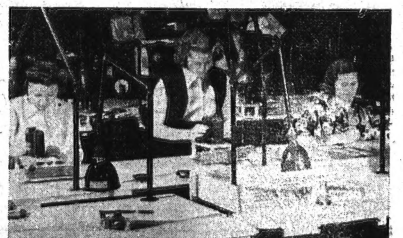
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Salt Pork	Lb.	15
Pork Sausage	Lb.	20
Own Cured Ham	Lb.	25
Own Cured Bacon	Lb.	25
Boiling Beef Ribs	Lb.	10
Hamburger	Lb.	10
Shoulder Beef Roast	Lb.	12
Beef Round Steak	Lb.	10
Beef Hearts	Lb.	10
Choice Steer Beef Loin Roast	Lb.	23
Choice Steer Beef Shoulder	Lb.	14
Choice Steer Beef Boned and Rolled	Lb.	23
Compressed Ham	Lb.	30
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## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

During 1938, England imported \$22,000,000 worth of butter, only one-half of which was produced in the British Empire.

A large force of police and soldiers raided St. Anne's estate near Dublin and arrested 23 gang suspected of illegal military drilling.

More than 70,000 London children between the ages of eight and 11 returned to school April 1st for the first time since the outbreak of the war.

A Dutch tugboat captain, convicted of giving information to Germany concerning the location of telegraph and cable lines in the Netherlands, was sentenced to three years' imprisonment.

Admiral Pierre Ronarch, inventor of a minesweeping device used before the end of the war with the Soviet Union have decided to stay in the country to help in reconstruction.

British merchants, burdened by war taxes and worried about wartime business, want the government to suspend compulsory war risk insurance until air raids really materialize.

The United States' refusal to recognize the new Chinese-approved regime of Wang Ching-wei, in China, although expected, added strain to relations between Washington and Tokyo.

Miss L. M. Foster, believed to be Britain's first and only woman admiral, is dead. She was an admiral because as mayor of Southampton in 1928 she became admiral of the port, entitled to an admiral's salute of guns.

## A French Phrase

Frying To Substitute Another Name For Hors d'oeuvre

The hors d'oeuvre is not exactly hors de combat in the Middle Western United States but it is painfully wounded. Midwest hotel men have been trying to rush to the aid of the myriads who have sprained their vocal chords attempting to pronounce the French phrase. The hotel men offered a prize for a new word to take the place of the French, and the best they could get was "ap-leaser".

It is a word which we doubt will be incorporated into the great American language, lenient and inclusive as that language may be. There is something singularly unappealing about it. If our impression of Mid-western hotel guests is correct, they will likely continue to say to waitresses, "Hey, girlie, pass over a few of them little gadgets on the tray, willya?"

## An Effective Weapon

James Whitcomb Riley Knew Best Way To Strike Back

Lovable, kindly James Whitcomb Riley possessed such a fine sense of humor that nothing apparently could ruffle his sweetness of temper. Once after giving a reading of his wistful poems, he was bitterly assailed by a celebrated foreign writer, who claimed he was corrupting the English language by writing in Hoosier dialect. "Why didn't you strike back?" someone asked Mr. Riley. "I did," replied the poet. "I hit him with a great chunk of silence."

A report from Rome says that until 1922 there were 600,000 olive trees in Libya, North Africa; under Italian occupation there are now 3,000,000.

The Soviet Union depends almost entirely on its own raw materials for its food industry, importing only a few items, such as cocoa.

## More Letters Being Written

British Firm Of Pen Makers Reports Big Increase In Orders

The millions of private letters written each week since war has scattered so many families far and wide, have led to big increases in the demand for fountain pens and ink. Not only throughout the British and French empires but also in countries like Holland and Belgium, where armies have been mobilized and civilians evacuated, letter-writing has become the only means of keeping families in touch.

The representative of a British firm of pen makers who in peacetime made one continental journey a year, had to visit available European countries in January and February and expects to continue taking large orders. There has even been an unusual demand for fountain pens in Turkey. Orders for ink are up 80 per cent in general.

The matter of payment is not so easy as usual, however. But one pen salesman traded pens for tobacco leaf in Bulgaria, and for dried cod fish in Iceland.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

## Have Dangerous Job

Stokers Know If Ship Attacked Their Chances Are Small

The stokers don't get much heroic notice. Their life is not spectacular. They don't participate in the mad dashes to the guns or in the excitement of the decks. Instead, they are away below shovelling coal for all they are worth. If there is a chase, the stokers have to extend their efforts in the mad endeavor to get steam and more steam. Without their work, the ships would lose headway and wallow in the trough of the waves. And, as they shovel, the stokers know that they are caught like rats in a trap. If a torpedo hits, they have little chance to get out on deck and away in the boats. They have to keep at their posts until the last moment, and then it is so often too late to escape.—Windsor Star.

## HOME SERVICE

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## Queen Victoria

Reference Made To Royal Honeymoon 100 Years Ago

My mother was present inside Buckingham Palace when Her Majesty Queen Victoria and His Royal Highness Prince Albert left it for their honeymoon 100 years ago. My grandmother drove up from her home on Clapham Common with some of her children, in order to see something of the royal wedding, and as their carriage was drawn up outside the palace an officer approached my grandmother and asked if she were —, whom he was ordered to escort inside. She replied in the negative, but he said he could find this lady nowhere and would my grandmother care to have the opportunity instead. She gratefully accepted, and she and my mother and her brothers were able to see the Queen and her bridegroom descend the staircase and leave the palace.—A letter to the London Times.

## AUSTRALIA'S NEW CANADIAN MINISTER ARRIVES

Sir William Glasgow, left, new Australian Minister to Canada, arrives at Ottawa to take over his new duties. With the new minister is Mr. Keith, a member of the Australian Legation Staff in Washington, who travelled to the Canadian capital to make arrangements for Sir William's arrival.

## Receives The Criticism

Newspaper Man Dislikes Sarcastic Of Professor Regarding Errors J. R. H., in the Toronto Telegram, says:

We heard a university professor getting sarcastic the other day about small errors in newspapers. We won't stand for that.

We'll pick out the mistakes in the newspapers—but we won't have an outsider taking cracks at the newspaper family.

We just ask you to consider the case.

The newspaperman writes his story in a rush, just one step ahead of the deadline for the edition.

He always does this when he could have written it three days before. If he didn't wait for the last-minute to write it he wouldn't be a newspaperman.

The copy reader reads it swiftly with one eye on the clock watching the edition time.

The printer sets it with one eye on the clock watching for quitting time.

The proof reader skims through it for errors, with one eye on the clock and the other on the pretty girl who reads the copy aloud to him.

And steaming with the speed with which it has been handled, the newspaper story stands before the reader in print, a half-hour after it was just a nebulous theory in the mind of some reporter.

Then a university professor chortles with glee because he finds a present and a past tense playing hide-and-seek with each other in one paragraph.

But take a university professor. When he sets out to write anything he takes six weeks to write one short chapter of a book.

The printer reads it, then the proofs come back to the professor.

He reads them.

His secretary reads them.

His wife reads them.

His married daughter reads them.

Six years later the book's printed with an extra page enumerating the mistakes that have been missed.

He makes the mistakes appear learned and respectable, however, by calling them "errata".

## SELECTED RECIPES

### CHOCOLATE SAUCE

2 squares cooking chocolate  
1 cup Bee Hive Golden or White Corn Syrup  
1 cup white sugar  
2 tablespoons St. Lawrence or Durham Corn Starch  
1 cup light cream or milk  
1/4 cup clear oil  
2 tablespoons butter  
1/2 teaspoon vanilla  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
Melt chocolate in top of double boiler. Dissolve corn starch in milk and add all but vanilla to double boiler. Mix thoroughly and cook 40 minutes, stirring occasionally. Take from heat and add vanilla. Keep in refrigerator or cool place. Use over ice cream or any plain pudding. Makes three cups. Rinse with milk if necessary.

### AMBER RUSSET

1 package Orange Jell-O  
1 1/2 cups hot prune juice  
Dash of salt  
Juice of 1 lemon and maraschino cherry juice to make 1/2 cup  
Dissolve Jell-O in hot prune juice. Add salt and fruit juice. Turn into individual molds. Chill until firm. Unmold. Serve with whipped cream and garnish with maraschino cherries, if desired. Serves four.

The Philippines Islands are nearly 7,000 miles from the United States mainland.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

APRIL 14

### HOSEA TELLS OF GOD'S FORGIVING LOVE

Golden text: If we confess our sins, he is faithful and righteous to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. 1 John 1:9. Lesson: Hosea 1:1-7; 14:4-9. Devotional reading: Isaiah 1:16-20.

### Explanations and Comments

Assurance of Divine Mercy and Lovingkindness, Hosea 14:1-8. In the first three verses of this chapter, Hosea entreats the people of Israel to return to the Lord, and bids them offer this penitent prayer: "Take away all our iniquity and accept what in us is good; instead of burnt offerings (bulllocks) we offer thee our minds; but in three alms, the Helper of the fatherless." To this penitent prayer the Lord will respond: "I will heal their backsliding, I will love them freely." Hosea is very sure of the mercy and lovingkindness of God. If these rebellious countrymen will repent, they will be forgiven. His anger is turned away from them. "The forgiveness that God is not like that narrow difficult, having, and manacled forgiveness that is found among men; but it is full, free, boundless, bottomless, absolute, and before which the wind and a rising sun."

"The prophet searches through the world of nature for emblems of the Divine forgiveness and mercy. The distillation of the dew, the gorgeous raiment of the Easter lily in the breast of the sound of the wind, the far-reaching spurs of the Lebanon range, the spreading branches of the olive as they rustle in the breeze, the golden corn ripe for the sheaf, the scent of the vine—these are and these images that stem from the inspired imagination of the prophet-seer" (F. W. Meyer).

## Gardening

Old gardeners spread out the garden fresh vegetable season by taking advantage of new, late and earlier varieties.

Corn is a typical example. At one time it was only possible to get one variety of Golden Bantam. Cobs were short and the season also. Now there are offered three or four different Bantam types—some extra early, some regular season, some late. These have longer ears, the kernels made bigger. One can get the finest flint corn for over a month later than a week or two as in the old days.

Impatient Beginners The beginner is inclined to rush the seed into the soil and to plant peas, spinach, lettuce or radish just as soon as ground is ready, or sweet peas and flowers which grow up and take themselves.

For the medium hardy type of plant, however, there is no advantage whatever in sowing too soon. There is a little doubt about any case until the soil really turns warm.

Gardeners are advised to divide their seed into at least three parts, sowing a third as soon as weather permits, a third a little later and the balance at the very tail-end of the planting season. In this way if frost does cut down the first batch there will be more plants coming on and the season will be lengthened by the last part of the growing season.

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**Health LEAGUE OF CANADA**  
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**TOPICS OF VITAL INTEREST**  
by DR. J. W. S. McCULLOUGH

The recent report of the Chief Medical Officer of the English Board of Education shows very impressively what can be done for school children by extra food. In March, 1938, the milk-in-schools scheme was in operation in 16.9 per cent of the elementary schools and 55.6 per cent of all children in such schools were taking milk either free or on payment of half price. "It is extraordinary," says the report, "that New Zealand children, many of whom do not grasp the opportunity to supply their children with a food so essential to health, growth and development as milk."

This year the London Council experiments with what is called the "milk breakfast." Adapted to the habits of London children, this has become a "health dinner." The meal consists of salad (lettuce, or raw cabbage in winter, tomatoes, cucumber and salad dressing); 1 1/4 ounces of cheese grated over the salad; 3 ounces wholemeal bread; 1/2 ounce New Zealand butter; 1/2 ounce milk; and a raw apple or orange. This was served to necessitous children at one centre in the East End and the results compared with those obtained at a neighboring similar centre where hot ordinary dinners were served. The average weekly gain in height and weight were considerably greater in the group receiving the Oolo or health dinner. There was an improvement in the blood and a disappearance of minor ailments, especially beriberi, inflammation of margins of eyelids.

It is interesting to note that while pasteurization of milk used outside London is small in proportion, 90 per cent of milk used in the Metropolitan is pasteurized.

Editorial Note: Readers desiring the complete text of this plan, long's cancer articles at once may secure same by writing to: The Health League of Canada, 100 Bond St., Toronto, Ont.

Manitoba Helps The Red Cross

Ship 205 Cases Of Hospital And Surgical Supplies

The Manitoba Division of the Canadian Red Cross between February 7 and March 25th shipped to England no less than 205 cases of hospital and surgical supplies. These cases contained the following:

Hospital Supplies

Men's wool socks ..... 14,556  
Triangular bandages ..... 10,116  
Styropor cases ..... 6,456  
Wristlets ..... 4,342  
Mattress pads ..... 3,970  
A bedpan bandages ..... 2,980  
Wool scarves ..... 3,454  
Pneumonia jackets ..... 3,438  
Styropor cases ..... 1,880  
Hospital bed gowns ..... 2,076  
Pullover sweaters ..... 1,700  
Styropor cases ..... 1,380  
Bed pan covers ..... 1,388  
Seamen's Stockings ..... 1,248  
Styropor cases ..... 1,097  
Sheets, single bed ..... 788  
Bed jackets ..... 760  
Styropor cases ..... 608  
Wool helmets ..... 576  
Dressing gowns ..... 300  
Pajamas ..... 262

Total hospital supplies ..... 64,281

Surgical Supplies

Cotton flannellette bandages 2,550  
Surgical pads ..... 1,176  
Surgical wipes ..... 784  
Surgical compresses ..... 168

Total surgical supplies ..... 4,678  
Grand total ..... 68,959

Wedding Presents Missing

Many Of Queen Victoria's Not In Presses Royal Collection

The Queen has lately given consideration to some of Queen Victoria's wedding presents which are missing. The centenary of Queen Victoria's wedding is a reminder of the fact that it is reported that in the archives at Windsor Castle there is a complete list of these presents, but it by no means tallies with the present state of the Royal collection. Some of the presents have been traced, it is reported, to other houses where they are regarded as heirlooms. But no one now living can explain how they first passed into the possession of the families who own them.



# LATEST PAGE IN HISTORY!



## The Park Lane Mystery

By Edgar Wallace

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### CHAPTER I.

Mr. Stratford Harlow was a gentleman with no particular call to hurry. By every standard he was a member of the leisure classes, and he had the opportunity for lingering he added the desire of one who was pertinently curious.

The most commonplace phenomena interested Mr. Harlow, who had all the requisite qualities of an observer. For example, his enjoyment was without the handicap of sentimentality, a weakness which is fatal to accurate judgment.

Leonardo da Vinci could stand by the scaffold using the dreadful form as his desk, and sketch the agonies of malefactors given to the torturer. Mr. Harlow, no great lover of painters, thought well of Leonardo. He too could stop to look at sights which sent the average man shuddering and hurrying past; he could stop (even when he was really in a hurry) to analyze the color scheme in an autumn sunset—not to romanticize poetically, but to mark down for his own information the quantities of beauty.

### Inspiration

He was a largely made man of 45, fair and slightly bald. His clean-shaven face was unlined, his tender skin without blemish. Pale blue eyes are not accounted beautiful, and the pallor of Mr. Harlow's eyes was such that, seeing him for the first time, many sensitive people experienced a shock, thinking he was sightless. His nose was big and long, and of the same width from forehead to tip. The passport description of his mouth was "full." He had very red, thick lips that seemed to be pouting even when they were in repose. A rounded chin with a dimple in the center, and unusually small ears, completes the description.

His powerful car was drawn up by the side of the road, its two near wheels on the green verge, and Mr. Harlow sat, one hand on the wheel, watching the marshaling of the men in a field. In such moments of contemplative reveries as these, splendid ideas were born in Stratford Harlow's mind, great schemes hatched out of the nowhere which he beyond vision. And, curiously enough, prisons invariably had this inspirational effect.

They were trudging now across the field, led by a bank waiter who carried his rifle at the "trail," two ranks of cheerful, suborned men in striped jackets and leggings. The old system of dating a man's previous convictions by decorating his cap with mystical letters of the alphabet had gone out, Mr. Harlow noted, and remembered reading something about the practice being discontinued.

and the drag centres of commerce where they find their livelihood.

He had once stood at the corner of a busy street in the Midlands and had taken a twelve-hour census of beauty. In that period, though thousands upon thousands hurried past, he had seen one passably pretty girl and two that were not ill-favored. It was unusual that this girl, who sat side-faced to him, should be pretty; but she was unusually pretty. Though he could not see her eyes, her visible features were perfect, and her complexion, unless his sight was at fault, was without flaw. Her hair he could not see, hidden as it was under her little black hat, but he liked the way she used her hands. He believed in the power of hands as a revelation of the mind. Her figure—what was the word? Mr. Harlow pursed his lips. His was a cold and exact vocabulary, lacking in floweryness. "Graciousness," perhaps. He pursed his lips again. Yes, gracious—though why it should be gracious? "She is beautiful," agreed Stratford Harlow with himself, "but in all probability she has a voice that would drive a man insane."

### "Ingle"

Nevertheless, he determined to risk disillusionment. His interest in her was impossible. Two women, one young, one old, had played important parts in his life; nonetheless, he could think of them unprejudiced by this experience. He neither liked nor disliked them, any more than he liked or disliked the Park Lane, which could be admired but had no special utility.

Presently his waiter came to take away his plate.

"Miss Rivers," said the waiter in a low voice, in answer to his query. "The young lady came this morning, and she's going back to Plymouth by the last train. She's here to see somebody." He glanced significantly at Mr. Harlow, who raised his bushy eyebrows.

"Ingle?" he asked, in a low voice. The waiter nodded.

"Her uncle—Arthur Ingle, the actor chap."

Mr. Harlow nodded. The name was dimly familiar. Ingle? "A nosy fellow, a dower-dropping old fellow," he judged with a cold in his head. He began to reconstruct from his association of ideas. He had been in court at the Old Bailey when the Judge had said the nosy fellow which had its beginning in old times, when a bunch of herbs was supposed to shield his Lordship from the taint of Newgate fever. As the Judge had said the nosy fellow, the Judge had said the nosy fellow, the Judge had said the nosy fellow.

He set the telephone working, and in five minutes Ellenbury's anxious voice answered him.

"Come over to Princetown. I'm staying at the Duchy. Don't let people see that you know me. We will get acquainted in the smoke room after lunch."

### At a Third Table

Mr. Harlow was eating his frugal lunch at a table which overlooked the untidy square before the Duchy, when he saw Ellenbury arrive; a small, thin, nervous man with a round of white side whiskers. Soon after the visitor came down the big dining room, gazed quickly around, located Mr. Harlow with a start, and sat himself at the nearest table. The dining room was sparsely occupied. Two motorist parties that had come up from Toronto, sat talkatively in opposite corners of the room. An elderly man and his stout wife sat at another table, and at a third, conveying a curious sense of aloofness, a girl. Women interested Mr. Harlow only in so far as they were factors in a problem or the elements of an experiment; but since he must classify all things he saw, he noticed, in his cold-blooded fashion, that she was pretty and therefore unusual, for the bulk of humanity bears a marked resemblance to the cheap little suburban streets in which they live.

Getting Acquainted

Forty-nine had come to privileges, and can find the opening which would lead to Twenty-eight's eternal confusion.

"Good—morning, young lady. You're a fellow guest of ours, aren't you?"

He said this with a smile which could be construed as fatherly. She shot a glance at him and her lips twitched. She was too ready to smile, he thought, for this visitation of hers to be wholly sorrowful.

"I lunched at the Duchy, yes, but I'm not staying there. It is a dreadful little town!"

"It has its beauty," protested Mr. Harlow.

He dropped his eyes on the counter, took up a local time-table, and, waiting while the girl's change was counted, fell in beside her as they came out of the office.

"And romance," he added. "Take the Feather Inn. There's a build-

ing put up by the labor of French prisoners of war."

From where they stood only the top of one of the high chimneys of the prison was visible.

She saw him glance in that direction and shake his head.

"The other place, of course, is dreadful—dreadful! I've been trying to work up my courage to go inside, but somehow I can't."

(To Be Continued)

### A War-Time Risk

Farmers Should Keep Well Informed On Production Problems

There are many risks in the business of farming, some avoidable, and others unavoidable, states the Agricultural Supplies Board, and observes that the one very dangerous risk that can be avoided very easily—that of being insufficiently informed in dealing with your production problems.

For years agricultural scientists and experimentalists have been at work in laboratory, bar, and field. Their object has been to supply the farmer with practical, complete and up-to-the-minute information on the best practices in crop and animal production and the prevention of losses through pests and diseases. With the benefit of accumulated knowledge and the added incentive of war-time production requirements, these men are working more industriously than ever, if possible, in their efforts to assist and serve the producer.

Partial information is just as dangerous in farming as in any other business—such risk may be avoided by utilizing the advice and information readily available from Provincial and Dominion sources, dealing with practically every phase of the business of farming. Winter does not prevent the preparation of a good seed-bed of information. Inquiries for further information should be directed to the nearest Dominion Experimental Farm or Station, Agricultural College, Provincial or Dominion Department of Agriculture.

### GEMS OF THOUGHT

#### DEFEAT: OPPORTUNITY

What is defeat? Nothing but education. Nothing but the first step to something better—Wendell Phillips. When everything seems lost, noble souls find their opportunity—LaCordaire.

The highest reward for man's toil is not what he gets for it, but what he becomes by it—Ruskin.

Experience is victor, never the vanquished; and out of defeat comes the secret of victory—Mary Baker Eddy.

The things which hurt, instruct—Whitlitt.

There's no defeat, in truth, save from within.

Unless you're beaten there, you're bound to win—Henry Austin.

### New Ocean Airlines

British Overseas Airways May Start Trans-Atlantic Air Service

Rapidly maturing plans for new trans-Atlantic airlines, some of which are destined to connect with the Pan-American Clipper service, were spurred in London and in other capitals by the military approach of favorable flying weather.

It was disclosed British Overseas Airways Corporation, which will take over direction of the lines formerly operated by British Airways and Imperial Airways, may start trans-Atlantic postal air service this summer if the military situation permits.

Imperial Airways flew experimentally to Montreal and New York last summer.

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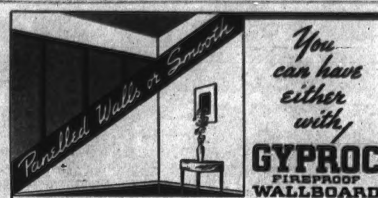
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### Lack Mission in Life

Children Of Rich Parents Often Less Likely To Achieve Success

Rich youths are born with too strikes on them in the working world, says a psychologist who found that poor boys stick to a job better.

Dr. Lawrence Whistler suggested before the Southern Psychological Association at New Orleans that it may be about time to begin slightly ignoring the younger generation. Pampered children, said Dr. Whistler, who tested freshmen at Louisiana University, seem to "lack a mission in life" with tendencies to avoid work and "just dream" of fame and fortune.

He suggested that perhaps the current emphasis on care and protection of children should be balanced with an emphasis on the art of science of ignoring children.

A boy's ability to finish a job he started, Dr. Whistler found, would be aided greatly if he had more than three brothers or sisters, lived in a crowded apartment and so on.

His father not only did not own an old automobile or none at all, but he had less than \$1,000 a year, didn't take the family on vacations, had no servants and wasn't any better off financially than the boy was born.

The psychologist declared that "where there are many children each receives less attention from his parents and is more on his own."

### Canadian Films

Monthly Films Depicting The Dominions At War To Be Produced

A series of Canadian produced monthly films depicting the Dominion at war are being started. The first will be titled "Atlantic Patrol" which has already been filmed and is ready for showing.

Other pictures will be made of the war-time boards in the nation's capital. The most cinematic of these proved to be the war supply board headed by Wallace Campbell, who thought stout and greying, was said by cameramen to have a good profile.

It has been suggested that the title of this picture be called "The Workshops of War."

Scores of businessmen will have a chance for stardom in it as it is believed to embrace more so-called "dollar a year men" in the personnel than any other.

Other films now under way besides "Atlantic Patrol" are "Private Lives," showing the troops overseas and "Women at Work."

Largest of living amphibians is a giant salamander found in Japan; it grows to a length exceeding five feet.

A fox is a member of the canine family but its eyes are like those of a cat.

### The Importance Of Man

Can New Boast Of Having The Longest Span Of Life

There is nothing that worries the human race quite as much as implications that, in certain respects, other animals have the jump on us. Major Stanley S. Flower, a zoologist, has just contributed to the collective ego of the world by announcing that man can truthfully boast the longest span of life. The old myth about the elephant's living longer has no basis in fact, the Major says. As a matter of fact, the oldest elephants fall just short of living 90 years.

The world of man could be a little prouder of this distinction if it could only forget that elephants, at least, have a pretty good chance of finishing their normal life span without worrying about wars and traffic accidents.—Winnipeg Tribune.

### For Cause Of Empire

Duty Of War Veterans To Spread The Gospel Of Imperial Unity

The duty of war veterans who today are unable to again fight with the Allies in the present war is to spread "propaganda in the cause of imperial unity," Police Chief D. C. Draper told the Imperial Officers Association at Toronto.

"You have a great work still to do," the chief, himself a brigadier-general in the World War, told the veterans of other wars. "Your strength lies not alone in words but in the fact known to all men that you are prepared to sacrifice deeply if need be, for the Empire's cause."

### Mail For Canada's Soldiers

The Canadian army postal base at Ottawa handled 375,000 letters, weighing more than five tons, 80 tons of parcels and 27 tons of newspapers for Canada's soldiers overseas during March, figures released by Major G. W. Ross, officer commanding the Canadian Postal Corps, showed.

London, Eng., has 145 hospitals.

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## BELLEVUE HAPPENINGS

Misses Grace Alexander and Alice Elajay, and Mrs. J. Rymacek, were business visitors to Calgary on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. C. W. Johnson and daughter Marion have returned from a two-week visit to Cranbrook. Mrs. Blincoe returned with them to spend a while with her daughter here.

Among the Bellevue people attending the Port Arthur-Calgary hockey game on Tuesday were Messrs. G. Meyer, T. Schmidt and Wm. Cox, Jr.

A large number of local residents attended the funeral of the late Mrs. W. Oliver in Blairmore on Monday afternoon.

Berta Avelado and Henry Kuryluk, who spent a week practicing teaching at Passburg and Burnis, returned to Calgary Sunday to resume their studies at the normal school.

Mrs. E. G. Costick is visiting her daughter at Victoria, B.C.

Mrs. J. Tutt and Mrs. H. Harrison were business visitors to Lethbridge last week.

Mrs. Wm. Beck left Tuesday last for Coalmont, B.C., to join her husband, who is employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. William Couzens and children were week end visitors to Calgary.

## COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Word has been received of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Fairbairn at Macleod. Congratulations.

At a Red Cross meeting held here on Saturday, a large bundle of supplies were sent to headquarters in Calgary.

Hector Lemire has returned from Macleod, where he underwent a critical operation.

Mrs. Doris Sandeman, who was called home several weeks ago, owing to the illness of her son Jack, has returned to Sparin, where she is teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Tustian, of Picture Butte, spent the week end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Tustian.

A pair of Loggerhead Shrikes was seen around here this week. As far as we know, this is the first appearance of these birds in this part of the country.

Farmers and ranchers are rejoicing over the abundance of snowfall this spring, that has melted and been saved to the soil. Prospects now point to a good crop.

On Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunn gave a whist drive at their home at the Cowley air port, in aid of the Red Cross. Owing to a heavy fall of snow, the crowd was not as large as it otherwise would have been. However, there were six tables at play, and prizes were won by Miss Sylvia Murphy, ladies' first; Mrs. Robert Day, junior, consolation; Frank Finzell, gent's first; Ronald Morrison, consolation. Door prizes went to Mr. Patterson and Mr. Dwyer, chair prizes to Miss Sylvia Murphy and Homer Lynch, picture to Miss Kathleen Murphy, cushion to C. J. Bundy, and cut-work runner to Mrs. Patterson.

The marriage of Miss Ruby, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wynn, to Mr. Chester L. Neilson, son of Mrs. J. W. Neilson and the late Mr. Neilson, took place at Lethbridge on Sunday afternoon. They will reside in the Peace River district.

## NEWS FROM EDMONTON

(T. B. Windsor)

Edmonton, April 9.—A campaign which is expected to bring \$4,000,000 extra "export" business to Alberta in the next few months in the form of tourist traffic was undertaken over the week end by the federal government and Alberta business men, with the provincial government also giving the plan its endorsement.

Robert J. C. Stead, of Ottawa, one-time Alberta newspaperman, who now is superintendent of publicity for the national parks, was in Edmonton conferring with representatives of the chamber of commerce, motoring organizations, the provincial government and national park superintendents to make arrangements for the official opening of the federal government's Jasper-Banff highway on Dominion Day and for the advertising of Alberta all over the continent.

Providing internal turmoil does not disturb things, nothing can prevent Alberta from reaping a golden harvest of tourist dollars this year, chiefly from across the international boundary, Mr. Stead predicts. Revenue from tourist traffic finds its way into the pockets of every class of citizen, from primary producer to professional man and including relief recipients, directly or indirectly, every type of goods and services, and stimulates the circulation of money, economists know. Advertising is the key to individual advantages from the traffic.

Within Alberta, politics lay comparatively dormant last week, amid indications that the situation would be enlivened soon.

D. M. Duggan, Conservative member of the legislature since 1926, and re-elected last month as an Independent on the citizens' slate in Edmonton, tendered his resignation Friday as Conservative leader in the province, a post he has held since 1929.

"In the performance of the duties now imposed upon me as an Independent, I will seek the closest cooperation of my new associates in promoting the best interests of our fellow citizens," he told the Conservative party.

In the meantime it was reported that all of the score of Independents elected to the house will meet within the next two weeks to draft their general policies and to select a house leader. Until they get together and actually choose their leader, there can be no authoritative prediction as to the identity of that man, because no one but members themselves will choose him, in spite of reports that Mr. Duggan, Mayor Davison, of Calgary, or Alfred Speakman, of Red Deer, are "favorites" for the job. It is believed almost certain that the representative of a rural riding, however, will be the choice.

Already the Independents are laying plans to present a strong opposition to the government, as is correct and expected under the British democratic system. If the plans of the opposition members are carried out, there will be no more successful "steam-roller" tactics by the Social Credit government, for every issue will be fought to the utmost and the Independents will make their position known to the entire province, observers predicted.

They will be supported by the knowledge that the majority of the people of Alberta showed, by their votes, that they did not want the Aberhart government re-elected, despite the fact that the government was returned with a substantial majority in the legislature, although getting a minority vote at the polls.

One point was believed made definite by the election. That was that the majority of the people of the province, by not electing a single C. C. F. member on the socialist platform, and by giving the Social Crediters a minority popular vote, showed that they do not want and will not tolerate socialization of business or industry, or interference with private enterprise.

The provincial government is expected to take note of those views

## LOCAL AND GENERAL ITEMS

David Lloyd George today celebrates the fiftieth anniversary of his election to the British House of Commons.

Geo. Corliss, former sawyer with the McLaren Lumber Company here, is among the most recent arrivals from other points, and is now engaged at the Sartoris' Lumber Co's mill.

Rudolph used a magnifying glass to see the sun's eclipse on Sunday, and cannot understand why the sun appeared so big. He was hoping to see an eclipse.

On Saturday afternoon last, April 6th, the occasion of her seventh birthday, Joyce Dambols entertained twenty of her friends at a party at her home in Bellevue.

At the regular Sunday evening service in Central United church, Blairmore, Mr. George Kerry, of Lethbridge, formerly of Blairmore, will render a violin solo.

Following this week's severe snowstorm, hundreds of snowbirds were found dead throughout Southern Alberta. The cause of their death is a mystery, as no apparent injury was visible.

In order to secure sufficient fibre for the plastering of a Blairmore home now in course of construction, it became necessary on Thursday to shave Joe's chin. The war is sure driving home!

John Arthur Clagne, 53, assistant comptroller and chief accountant of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada, was killed on Monday in a fall from a sixth floor window of the firm's head office in Montreal.

Skippers of English east coast fishing vessels are hardy. When William Pashby, 23, master of the Churage, came ashore after his vessel had been bombed by a German Heinkel, he merely phoned his wife he was safe, and put to sea again.

Nova Scotia spent the record amount of \$4,663,093 on education during the school year 1938-39, an increase of \$262,170 over the previous year. The provincial government contributed \$1,232,969 to the total. The average salary for all classes of teachers was increased from \$772 to \$778.

In order to expedite delivery of cables addressed to members of the C.A.S.F. overseas, the following registered cable address has been secured: "Canrecord, London." All cables for personnel of C. A. S. F. should be addressed as follows: "regimental number, rank, name, Canrecord, London."

Copies of "The Records Tell The Story" and "The Truth About The Records" may be had at The Enterprise office at half price. Also copies of "The Case For Alberta" and "What The Aberhart Government Has Accomplished in a Wasted Four Years." These latter may be had free of cost, although the government's original price on the Case For Alberta was set at \$1.50, and some Pass individuals were known to have paid that amount for it. As a matter of fact, The Enterprise will shortly operate a bargain counter, from which all such farces may be obtained. Copies of some of these booklets have already been sent to Ottawa for information.

and so permit the normal growth of industry and business, including the expansion and development of natural resources by private capital. If the government has not capital of its own to invest in development of those resources, private capital must be allowed to operate freely in uses which bring business and revenue to all the people of the province, directly or indirectly, because the resources are valuable until they are developed, economists have noted.

That view is expected to be considered when the report of the McGillivray royal commission on the oil industry is presented to the government soon.

The Ottawa parliament will open on May 16th.

Sixteen below zero was registered in Blairmore on Wednesday night.

The combine outfit that handled Stefano's crop, returned to Cowley yesterday.

A well known resident of Coleman for some years, Mrs. Claes, passed away at her home on Wednesday morning.

Pat Conroy, vice-president of District 18, U. M. W. of A., and Angus J. Morrison, M.L.A., secretary, are in town today.

Three full pages in the April 6th magazine section of the Christian Science Monitor, published in Boston, Mass., are devoted to a description of the new Jasper-Banff highway.

In our last week's issue we referred to the death in England of Mr. Alfred Barrell, brother of Mr. C. B. Barrell, manager of the Royal hotel, Calgary. Later word from England stated that Mrs. Alfred Barrell had passed away ten days after her husband's death at Dedham, Essex.

Lethbridge taxpayers voted strongly in favor of borrowing \$250,000 for power purposes. It is easier for a well-conducted city to borrow that amount than for the provincial government to do so. The city's credit is good. The vote result stood 11 to 1 in favor.

Claresholm Oddfellows, with the spiritual guidance of Dad Palmer, will build a new hall.

Pretty soon Hitler will be compelled to make shells from cement or paper—there'll be no metal.

Former Kaiser Wilhelm has exile quarters ready for Hitler, expected to head for them very shortly.

A number of hockey fans from Blairmore witnessed last night's game at Calgary between the Stampede and Bears.

An insurance company boasts of paying a billion dollars in dividends in the last ten years. And they were not elected by the people.

You should see Gavelin's Bottling Works in action. During the past week seven million tons of snow were bottled up for use next season on Blairmore's ski-way. Save your bottles, boys.

Hitler's dream of controlling Denmark, Finland, Norway, Sweden, Iceland, Greenland, etc., are no nearer being realized than our dreams of Aberhart paying a dividend. That's to be the fate of dictatorship!

Winston Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, on Thursday gave the British House of Commons a peak at the war, when he pledged the navy to wipe Germany from the seas and anticipated a victory which would even restore Denmark's freedom.

Mrs. R. E. Maybank, mother of Mrs. Robert Cruickshank, is ill with pneumonia at her home in Olds.

Returning from Calgary a few nights ago, a number of Blairmore boys visited Mike Kickimunderthall at Brocket.

In a titanic naval and air struggle, the Allies on Wednesday sank about twenty Nazi ships, transports and warships, in three naval engagements.

Calgary Stampede travelled to a 6-4 win over the Port Arthur Bears last night. The next game will be at Port Arthur on Monday night.

Two South Alberta military officials, Colonel W. W. Henderson, of Lethbridge, and Lieut. J. F. O'Neill, of Pincher Creek, have been given posts in the training depots in England for the Canadian Active Service Force, and will proceed overseas at once.

Louis Lemiux, alias "Trapper" Johnston, and Frank "Red" Wilson, wanted for the blowing of a safe in the Trites-Wood Co. store at Fernie on April 1st, when bonds worth \$700, jewelry to the value of \$2,150 and \$300 in cash and cheques were stolen, were arrested in Calgary on Wednesday. B.C. police are of the impression that the same men were responsible for similar safelings at Lundbreck and Cowley on March the 10th and 11th. No loot has been recovered.

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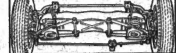
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## J. E. WOODS DIES IN OTTAWA

Another old timer of the Crows' Nest Pass passed on at Ottawa on Thursday of last week in the person of Joseph E. Woods, 78, pioneer-surveyor who first charted the Crows' Nest Pass district and east to Pincher Creek, where for a great number of years he was in partnership with F. M. Steele. He was a splendid mining engineer and geologist, making a valuable contribution to the technical knowledge of the Crows' Nest Pass bituminous coal area, and the foothills oil and gas geology. He was financially interested in early development in this district, and had much to do with locating the site for the original as well as the present water-service reservoir for the town of Blairmore. In the boom days of Frank he was resident there, later making his firm's headquarters at Pincher Creek, where he remained till taking up residence in Ottawa but two or three years ago.

The remains were laid to rest at Ottawa on Monday.

The Elks' Ladies' Night, scheduled for Tuesday next, has been postponed on account of the Musical Festival.

Rev. R. W. Hardy, of Cranbrook, has accepted a call to the Crosby United church, Vancouver, and will take up his new pastorate on July 1st. Mr. Hardy has for a number of years been a very active executive member of the Crows' Nest Pass Musical Festival.

Jimmy was asked by his teacher in English class: "What is a pronoun?"

"A pronoun is a noun that has turned pro," he replied.

First Doctor: "Why do you call that new nurse 'Appendix'?"

Second Doctor: "Because all of the doctors want to take her out."

## AN INCIDENT WITH A MORAL

As the baker's wagon turned a corner, a loaf bounced from a basket. When it hit the pavement a crumb broke off.

Quickly three sparrows made a swoop for the crumb. When the scramble was over, two of the birds flew away without a bite, and one carried off a little piece of bread.

And all the while the big loaf lay untouched and unrecognized.

## A COMEBACK IN THE WEST

The Canadian Bank of Commerce monthly commercial letter makes a significant statement with regard to the prairie provinces. We quote as follows:

"The reconstruction of the prairie economy by government and private interests, so long delayed, is now well in hand, and is so extensive and diversified as to provide for a well balanced system of production. Already it is demonstrated that important non-agricultural resources can be developed, and it is in further efforts in this direction, as well as in improved agricultural technique, that the best prospects of sound growth may be seen."

## T.C.A. CELEBRATES FIRST BIRTHDAY

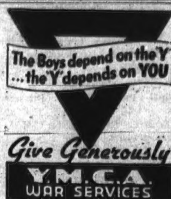
Trans-Canada Air Lines, as a passenger organization, celebrated its first birthday April 1st. To signalize the passing of the first milestone, one of the most unique birthday parties on record was staged in mid-air in the evening. The passengers on the transcontinental planes arriving and departing from Winnipeg shortly after midnight were guests of T.C.A. at a birthday party on the plane, at which the stewardess was hostess.

For the occasion, C.N.R. chefs made special birthday cakes for every plane in flight during the day. Each passenger was given a piece of cake in a special box as a souvenir of the occasion. With each box was a note: "Trans-Canada Air Lines' Birthday Party, April 1st, 1940, the first anniversary of inauguration of passenger service."

There was a candle on every cake and, although this signified a twelve months life, the T.C.A. service is proud of the fact that within this twelve months they have carried almost 30,000 passengers and flown more than 3,500,000 miles.

In an Alberta town recently a most glorious party was held, in which all brands of "Oh Be Joyful" were included among the touchables. The local editor was an invited guest, and next day his paper appeared with a writeup of the glorious time had, and the heading read like this:

"BIGgest sT'G Party  
ON R'e'c'd'."



With trained men and facilities ready, and from experience in previous wars, the Canadian Y.M.C.A. was able, last September, to quickly organize temporary programmes and facilities for troops in training. This work was financed on a bank loan. From there on the need has been carefully estimated from a survey of actual conditions and requirements in Canada and overseas.

Before setting the financial objective of its campaign, the Canadian Y.M.C.A., with the closest co-operation from the General Staff, made a comprehensive study of present and future requirements in Canada and sent its senior secretary to England with the First Canadian Contingent to study the need there. He then went to France to see the requirements in the battle areas. Based on this report, estimates were made of the costs of equipment, supplies and services up to December 31st, 1940. These estimates, for sixteen months, including money spent to date, totaled \$1,038,000. This then was set as the objective for the present campaign.

The entire funds of this campaign are to be devoted to war service among Canadian troops in Canada and overseas, including paying for the furnishings and operating costs of Y.M.C.A. huts or centres now in operation in Canada and overseas, the cost of opening and furnishing new huts or centres where needed, free games, athletic equipment, writing paper and literature for the boys, providing motion picture shows, concerts, music and other entertainment, supplying a staff to operate out-of-duty programmes in athletics, sports, informal education and inspirational meetings, operating costs of mobile units supplying refreshments to troops on night manoeuvres, and the operating expenses of the Halifax hotel, the Beaver Club, and other leave centres, which soon will be needed.

The campaign throughout Canada starts Monday next.

## WILLYS EXTEND GUARANTEE

Windsor, Ontario.—Joseph W. Frazer, president of Willys-Overland Motors, Inc., has announced that the company will hereafter extend the standard Automobile Manufacturers' Association new car guarantee on 1940 Willys cars to 100,000 miles or three years.

In making this sensational statement which marked the end of his first year as president of Willys, Mr. Frazer said, "For the first time in the history of the American automobile industry, a passenger car maker will stand back of its products with a guarantee covering 100,000 miles or three years of driving. It gratifies me that I am able to offer this remarkable guarantee on the lowest priced full-size car in the world."

"Willys is able to make such an unprecedented and long guarantee," Mr. Frazer continued, "because of its remarkable record of stamina as proved in the hands of thousands of satisfied owners. The new 1940 Willys is built for long life. It is of the simplest construction. It is made with the finest quality materials. And it provides a higher factor of safety due to light weight and strong, oversize units." See Ad. elsewhere.

According to a tailor, men's shoulders are becoming broader. It's just as well, with taxes what they are.

George: "Have women more courage than men?"  
Davy: "Certainly! Have you ever seen a man try on three or four suits with only thirty cents in his pocket?"

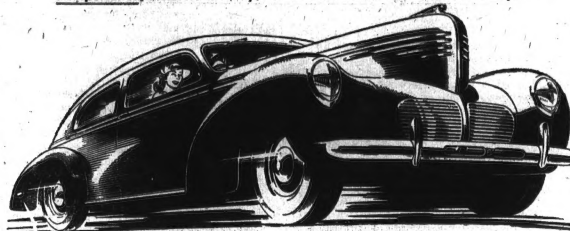
## MOST CARS ARE TOO BIG!

As you buy clothes to fit your person and purse—build a house to be comfortable but not extravagant—why should an over-sized, over-powered, over-appointed car, whether new or used, be considered? Why not purchase a

thoroughly up-to-date, brand-new Willys—the car that is adequately sized, adequately powered, stylishly appointed—so that all its provable economies can save more money—to spend at destination rather than for getting there?

## ALL HAVE THE SAME FUNDAMENTAL PURPOSE

The most expensive car made may have the wheelbase and weight of a truck, an engine capable of powering an aeroplane, the appointments of a bridal suite, cost the price of a house—yet its real purpose and use is transportation, therefore the way a car is used should decide the one to buy.



## DO YOU COMMUTE?

If your use of a car is like that of the great majority of owners, you will commute 98 per cent of the time—back and forth between home, work and nearby places, or between farm and town—your speeds will be far less than 70 miles per hour—you will average fewer than three people per trip—the traffic conditions will require alert-

ness and the parking will not always be easy. These are the reasons why the Willys is more exactly designed to meet the driving and cost requirements of most people. There is no waste of size, weight, or power; everything is simple but not excessive—the long as well as short trips are speedily, comfortably and economically taken.

## DOES A LARGE CAR GIVE PRESTIGE?

Some people may think that a large car gives prestige, but even the "Joneses" know that smaller bills, promptly paid, create far more prestige with the people that mean anything.

Pride of ownership usually disappears with the first dented fender. A salesman's real opinion of the large car is best known when trading it back in.

## WHAT ARE TAXES GOING TO BE?

Looking forward to the next few years, the cost of taxation and of living show upward trends, hence a Willys is not only the best car to buy now, but plays safe when such developments occur... Get a free demonstration of this quality

car (guaranteed for 100,000 miles) and you will conclude, as thousands of owners have done, that the Willys meets all motoring requirements; that any larger car is an extravagance and simply a waste of hard-earned money.

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**A Fading Dream**

Whether or not the problem of the effective and profitable disposition of surplus exportable farm products in Western Canada will be temporarily solved as a result of war requirements for the duration of the war, the probable trend of agricultural practice after the war remains obscure and probably will continue to be doubtful until stern necessity dictates some important changes in policies and methods.

The foregoing comment is inspired by the fact that at least one of the possible solutions which appeared to hold out glittering prospects a few months ago has been more recently shattered when viewed in the light of cold reason applied to undisturbed, but unwelcome facts.

Reference is made to the theory that probably in the not far distant future the yield of thousands of these broad western acres might be devoted, after processing, to industrial purposes, thus bringing about that much to be desired end, a better balanced economy in Western Canadian life—a sort of wedding of agriculture and industry, as it were.

**A Glittering Prospect**

Only as recently as last summer, this prospect was held out as "the way out" for Canadian agriculture by D. G. McKenzie, writing in "Social Welfare", a publication, issued by the Christian Social Council of Canada, on the work of the National Chemurgic committee, a body set up to make a survey of research work being done by governmental bodies, universities and industrial plants in the interests of co-ordination of this very important and potentially valuable work and with a view to making the results of research work of practical value to agriculture and industry.

Speaking of the aspirations of the National Chemurgic committee, Mr. McKenzie stated that: "We feel that if we could divert four to five million acres of land now devoted to wheat production to other forms of agricultural production more suitable for industrial utilization, we will have largely solved our wheat surplus problem."

It may be, he continued, "that we can grow more flax, sunflowers, soy beans and similar crops from which we can extract vegetable oils and fibrous material that can be used in many branches of industry."

"The possibility of the utilization of our surplus milk in the production of milk casein is being considered. Standard wall board may be made from wheat straw and legumin crops. The possibility of marketing more of our surplus fruit production in the form of fruit juices is to be studied. More and more of our corn and potatoes may be utilized in making of starch, etc. Flax, hemp, sunflowers and soy beans may become a profitable source of vegetable oils, and additional investigation may prove that alcohol can be profitably extracted from barley and low grade wheat and used for blending with fuel oils."

These and other prospective conversions of the product of the field into the output of the factory were held out with considerable enthusiasm as a potential solution of some of the ills of agriculture in the term: "And so the vista of the future opens up."

Because these things may be, and undoubtedly are, physically possible, it by no means follows that they are economically feasible. Indeed, these possibilities and other prospects were canvassed at a very recent conference in Winnipeg when they were forced to the conclusion that, at present at any rate, none of them holds any immediate prospect of realization as a practical project, except perhaps, the conversion of flaxseed into oil to be used in the manufacture of paints, at any rate insofar as the prairie provinces may be concerned.

**Processing Is Costly**

Such a conclusion is quite understandable when it is pointed out that the utilization of agricultural products for industrial purposes on considerable scale involves the removal, transport and processing of bulk commodities and, in the west at any rate, their transfer over considerable distances before they can be made available as saleable manufactured goods. This inevitably entails considerable expense, even if cheap labor were available and when added to this, is the fact that such commodities are likely to compete with similar goods produced elsewhere at much lower costs, the economic feasibility of such projects fades away.

Such a conclusion, however, should not act as an impediment to the continuance of the work being done by the National Chemurgic committee. On the contrary, it should serve as a stimulus to that body and other organizations interested in the development of agriculture and industry and the solution of their joint and several problems to further efforts to find a way to make the valuable results of research work in the laboratory economically applicable. Because this cannot be done immediately does not mean that the work should cease.

Unrelenting attention to the task in hand with an eye to a practical objective will undoubtedly sooner or later result in the evolution of cheaper manufacturing processes and the time may come when the handicaps which now appear insuperable will be overcome. In the meantime, however, farmers in the west will have to look to other measures to solve their post war problems if and when they come.

More than 400 species of plants are "meat eaters", consuming insects.

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**Joins The Navy**

**Hollywood Film Director Happy To Be In Canadian Sea Force**

Ready to go to sea with the Royal Canadian Navy, Lieut. John Farrow, Hollywood director and husband of screen actress Maureen O'Sullivan, arrived at Halifax, "proud and happy to be in the Canadian navy."

"I have nothing but admiration for the work the navy is doing and has done since the war started," said Lieut. Farrow, who gave up his motion picture career to enter the service. "Now I have seen some of it at first hand I can't call it anything but marvelous."

The British-born director said his wife might visit Halifax if he is stationed there long.

**Will Use Canals**

Britain's 2,245 miles of canals are expected to have more traffic this year than ever before. The Government plans to encourage the use of the canals for transporting goods long distances, thus helping to conserve gasoline supplies.

Over half a million pounds of censors are used in a year in motion picture film.

**The Banff-Jasper Highway****Provides A New Channel For Tourist Travel In Mountain Fastness**

The official opening of the Banff-Jasper Highway, scheduled for Dominion Day, July 1, 1940, makes particularly timely a new booklet issued by the National Parks Bureau of the Department of Mines and Resources, Ottawa. Bearing the title "The Banff-Jasper Highway", the booklet is profusely illustrated and describes in text and picture the new mountain highway which will unite two of Canada's greatest national parks and open up to motorists a region formerly inaccessible except by saddle-horse and pack-trail.

The Banff-Jasper Highway provides a new channel for tourist travel, not only for Canadians, but for the people of the United States, and all others who come to share it. From the luxury of the modern motor car it reveals breath-taking majesty in unbroken but ever-changing panorama. The highway not only commands much of the finest mountain scenery in the world, but because its entire length lies in national parks, which are wild life sanctuaries, the opportunity to see the native fauna of the district, from the sure-footed mountain goat to the strictly unsocial grizzly bear, is greater than perhaps in any similar area elsewhere. The altitude is high enough to provide the brilliance and exhilaration associated with the mountains, and yet not so high as to present a problem to those of normal health and physique. Everywhere lies the wilderness, unchanged and unspoiled, yet nowhere is the visitor an hour's drive from the comforts and resources of modern civilization.

Mountain highways have always possessed a peculiar fascination for mankind. The sense of penetrating the unknown and of overcoming obstacles which for ages have been barriers to human progress arouses in many hitherto unrevealed emotions. The Banff-Jasper Highway is no exception, and its appeal to the traveller, the nature student, and the lover of the out-of-doors is universal. In them it unites not merely parks, but peoples and nations.

**The Island Of Sylt****German Air Base Has Been Gradually Shrinking For Centuries**

Site of the greatest air raid of all time, the island of Sylt had pretty well escaped the notice of history until the present war. Moreover, had it not possessed special advantages for Germans, first as a bathing resort and then as an air base, it might very well have disappeared completely beneath the North Sea, out over breaking into world news.

For, like its island neighbors, Sylt has been shrinking ever since the annals of Europe have been recorded. The North Frisian group, of which it is largely made up, is more than 1,000 square miles in 1250 A.D., compared with about 100 today. Of this 100, Sylt occupies about 38 square miles, and the steady shift of its sand-dunes to the west continues to deliver its east coast to the sea.

Only once before has Sylt figured in war. During last century's Danish war it underwent severe punishment, before its occupation by the Prussians in 1864.

If, as seems probable after the recent successful raids, the Germans are forced to abandon the Sylt base, the island may well be left again to the North Sea's steady encroachment.

**The Latest Recruits**

War is doing strange things in the livestock world. The latest recruits for war work are goats, which are being trained to lead horses from their stables in case of fire. Some hundreds of goats are now installed in stables around London, Eng., and it has been proven that horses do not need to be blindfolded to get them out of a burning stable.

**Delivery Is Slow**

What with censorship and everything, Swiss people near the German-Swiss border complain it takes 22 days sometimes for the delivery of a letter from a Swiss town to a German point 15 miles away.

A fox's tail is important in cold weather—it blankets the nose and foot pads when the fox is lying down.

Automobile spark plugs occasionally should be removed from the engine and inspected for such defects as cracked porcelain.

**NERVOUS RESTLESS WOMEN:**

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**Had Their Instructions****Crew Of German Liner Columbus Tells Story Of Scuttling**

Crew members of the scuttled German liner Columbus in a story published in the San Francisco Chronicle told of flooding the ship with benzine to the extent that a premature spark "would have killed us all."

The story, told by men now at Angel Island immigration station, San Francisco, explained why two of the Columbus' crew of 550 men died. They were torchmen who "did not make it" to the lifeboats when the order came to fire the benzine.

The crew had been instructed what to do should the scuttling alarm be given. The alarm came Dec. 19 when a British destroyer ordered the Columbus to stop. The paper quoted one crew member: "All of us ran to our posts and began pouring thousands of gallons of benzine over every inch of the top five decks. Before we had finished we were wading in benzine."

"One spark would have killed us all, but we prayed there would be no spark. Within 10 minutes the ship was soaking in benzine. We poured the last few gallons over the floor of the main dining saloon and then got into lifeboats, which had been swinging in readiness from their davits for two days."

"At a signal, torchmen lit the lower decks. Two of them did not make it back to the lifeboats. The captain made sure the ship was burning, threw the last torch onto the main deck and then lowered himself to his motor boat."

"In five minutes the ship was afloat from end to end." Almost 150 of the 512 crew members have been returned to Germany by way of Japan. They were men unfit for military service.

**The Wise Old Owl****Can Be Depended On As An Excellent Weather Prophet**

Britons, forced to do without published weather forecasts due to wartime restrictions, found consolation in a letter to the Times received from a Lieut.-Col. A. Vickers of Ashwell, Tooting, Essex. He said such information could be obtained from owls.

"I have tested the honor of these excellent weather prophets for some years," he wrote, "and the conclusions are arrived at as follows: If the wood owl calls more than three times at night rain will come within 24 hours. If the barn owl calls even once during the night it will be fine for the next 24 hours."

**Finds Canadians Friendly****Wife Of Australian High Commissioner Already Feels At Home**

Lady Glasgow, wife of the first Australian high commissioner to Canada, said "There is such a wonderful friendliness and hospitality about Canadian people that I feel at home already." She arrived at Ottawa with her husband, Sir William Glasgow. She expressed interest in the prairie rural scheme originated by Lady Tweedsmuir and told of a project in Australia known as the Bush Book Club, which supplies books to farmers and settlers.

**Party Ends for Mr. Caffeine-Nerves****Mr. Who's the pretty wallflower looking so glum? Has she just lost her best friend?**

**SHE:** I think I know her trouble—it's caffeine-nerves. She's always drinking tea and coffee. I'm going over right now and put her wise to Postum! It's delicious—and caffeine-free.



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**A Punishable Offence****Smuggling Any Article In Or Out Of Internment Camps**

It has been made a punishable offence under the War Regulations Act to smuggle letters, newspapers, clippings and other articles in or out of internment camps in Canada, according to an order issued recently by Hon. Ernest Lapointe, acting secretary of state. This became necessary after various attempts were made to evade camp censorship. Contravention of this order will be punished on summary conviction by a fine not exceeding \$500 or 12 months' imprisonment.

Recent automobile tests indicate that at 65 miles an hour the costs of oil are four and one-half times the costs at 35 miles.

Alligators' eyes shine pink, bears' silver, leopards' green, and so on, says a scientist who studied light reflected from animal eyes at night.

**Contains A Surprise****Increased Efficiency Has Been Developed For London's Balloon Barrage**

Important developments have given London's balloon barrage increased efficiency as a means of preventing enemy aircraft reaching objectives, a press association reporter wrote after visiting balloon units. He said an enemy plane would meet "a very disagreeable surprise" if it attempted to fly through the barrage, and that Royal Air Force planes have demonstrated this by experiment.

**Knew His Movies**

The Vicar recalled some amusing experiences during the last war. One of them concerned the annual meeting of a branch of the British Legion of which he used to be the padre.

Once, he said, on being challenged by a sentry, he answered, "Chaplain." The sentry replied, "Pam, Charlie."

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## SAYS BLOCKADE BY BRITAIN TO BE INTENSIFIED

London.—Prime Minister Chamberlain said in a speech that he was 10 times as confident of victory as he was when the war started, that Britain was ready for an intensified war, or a long one, that the blockade was going to drain Germany's life blood, and that Britain was not going to let Germany profit indefinitely by unscrupulous warfare.

Chamberlain spoke to the central council of the dominant National Union of Conservative and Unionist Associations, as head of the Conservative party.

"Hitler missed the bus," he said of Germany's failure, despite its superior preparation for war, to wage big scale warfare. Thanks to the seven months breathing space which non-intense war had given Britain, he said, it was able to face the future calmly, steadily, with ever might come. And this time, he said, the Allies would not be cheated of the fruits of victory but would assure themselves of the elements of European security.

Germany, he said, had not a real friend in the world—only neutrals who were afraid of her. These neutrals, he said, knew in their hearts that Allied victory spelled freedom for them, German victory, slavery.

Chamberlain said that he would be the last to under-rate Germany's strength or its determination to use that strength without scruple or mercy if she thinks she can do so without getting her blows returned with interest.

He turned to the blockade. A blockade always had been Britain's strongest weapon, he said, and this one was going to be tightened, leaks and loopholes were going to be stopped, until it "more and more drains the life blood out of our enemy."

He said neutral sentiment was growing in the Allies' favor, and his statements implied that the Allies were not going to let the stark letter of law interfere with its intensification of its blockade if Germany continued to violate, as the British hold it has, the neutrality of foreign territorial waters.

Addressing a political gathering, and not the House of Commons, Chamberlain gave himself more range than he usually does. He derided the Nazis and breathed complete confidence that the Allies were going to win the war, however it was waged and however long it lasted.

Denouncing peace organizations, Chamberlain said their work was mischievous. But he added, recent by-elections for seats in the House of Commons had proved that the voters were not taking their demands for peace seriously.

He turned to the start of the war, Germany's preparation, work, lack of foresight of Britain's, he pointed out, and therefore it might have been suspected that it would take advantage of this to try to overwhelm the Allies.

"But it is not very extraordinary that the enemy made no attempt to overwhelm us and France," he commented.

"Whatever may be the reason, whether it was that Hitler thought he might get away with what he had got without fighting or whether it was that after all his preparations were not sufficiently complete, one thing is certain—he missed the bus."

## Swiss Troops Called Up

Units Totalling Tens Of Thousands Of Men Summoned

Berne.—Switzerland moved nearer general mobilization as the general staff summoned to active service 41 army units totalling tens of thousands of troops. They are to report April 15 and 21.

The call was connected with the high command's announced determination to keep the Swiss strength as closely as possible on a level with the number of troops any one belligerent has stationed near Switzerland's borders.

Swiss military quarters believed the Germans have between 12 and 18 divisions (about 180,000 to 270,000 men) in the Baden and Wurttemberg areas north of Switzerland. Swiss officials said, however, their presence "gives no immediate cause for alarm."

This attitude was reflected in Basel, near the long dormant upper Rhine front between Germany and France.

During 1938, England imported \$220,000 worth of butter, only one-half of which was produced in the British Empire.

## Seeks Lasting Peace

France's New Premier Says There Will Be No Compromise

Paris.—Paul Reynaud, France's new premier, said in a trans-Atlantic broadcast in English that France has "forged the weapon" against totalitarian Germany and "now we are going to use it."

He stressed in his speech that France is seeking a lasting peace, but he said bluntly:

"Totalitarian Germany has been totally insincere. It would be madness to believe that by signing some kind of a compromise with her we should be signing anything other than our death warrant for the following day."

The premier lapsed into slang by using the word "phoney" when he said:

"From the outset we must finish it has been the formula which summed up all our thoughts. And that means no 'phoney' peace after a war which is not 'phoney' in any respect."

Reynaud defined his understanding of the word "phoney" as "counterfeit."

"There will be no counterfeit peace," he said. "Hitler's Germany will not succeed in selling us that counterfeit. And as for the other counterfeiters, we leave them to her" (Germany).

Reynaud told the United States at the outset he was not trying "to give you advice."

"You alone," he said, "can decide what you wish or do not wish to do, the more you learn about the better that will be for us."

Reynaud said the entire French civilization was being threatened to by Nazism and that "the average Frenchman knows it and he knows also that the Soviets are their accomplices and that they have betrayed democracy."

The premier said the present conflict was a new kind of war, "a war unlike any other." He said a victory for the Allies was to the vital interest of small European neutrals "but the terror of German brutality robs them of these free will and makes them work against their own interests."

"It makes them play at Hitler's game," he said, "and yet they hope for Hitler's defeat."

## Parliament Opening

House Sessions In The Second Or Third Week Of May

Ottawa.—Parliament will not open until the "second or third week" of May, Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced at the first press conference he has held since January.

Traditionally parliament opens on Tuesday and there are five Thursdays in May. It is now believed likely the opening date will be either May 16 or 23.

Mr. King gave correspondents details of the appointment of the Earl of Athlone as governor-general of Canada, revealed the defence minister, Hon. Norman Rogers, would leave shortly to confer with British military authorities in England and inspect the Canadian forces there, and discussed political matters generally.

Date of Mr. Rogers' departure will remain an official secret owing to war conditions, but his stay in the United Kingdom will be long. He will be back before parliament opens.

Mr. King said it was considered desirable that Mr. Rogers, responsible for Canada's naval, military and air activity in the war, including the British Commonwealth air training plan, should consult with members of the British government and leaders of the various services.

## To Guard Palace

Canadian Troops To Mount Guard At Buckingham

London.—Canadian troops will mount guard at Buckingham palace from April 17 to 24 inclusive, it was announced.

The Royal 22nd Regiment of Queen's will furnish the guard for the first four days and the Toronto Scottish for the second period.

The duty of mounting guard on Buckingham Palace is a privilege hitherto reserved exclusively for the Brigade of Guards, though in a few instances the rule has been relaxed, such as during the coronation when Dominion troops took a turn.

## Plan For Egg Export

Ottawa.—The egg producers of British Columbia have made application for a marketing scheme. Purpose of the scheme would be to assist the export of eggs to Britain. The application is being considered here and is likely to go through if the producers support it in sufficient numbers.

## For Summer Training

Soldiers Will Be Moved Into Camp Early In May

Ottawa.—Canvas cities will spring up at half a dozen or more places across Canada next month as members of the Canadian Active Service Force move into camp for summer training.

It is understood plans are under way to move all troops in Canada into camp shortly after May 24. Included in the troops moving to camp will be the whole of the second division of the Canadian Active Service Force and various units of corps of specialist troops who have been mobilized since the start of the war but not sent overseas.

## EARL OF ATHLONE TO BE CANADA'S NEW GOVERNOR

Ottawa.—The Earl of Athlone, whose appointment as governor-general of Canada was announced simultaneously in London and Ottawa, will come to Ottawa "some time in June" and be sworn in at Ottawa, Prime Minister Mackenzie King said at a press conference.

The new governor-general succeeded Lord Tweedsmuir who died in Montreal Feb. 11 from effects of a fall in his dressing room at Rideau Hall, the vice-regal residence here.

Youngest brother of the Queen Mother, the Earl of Athlone will celebrate his 66th birthday next April 14.

Appointment of the Earl of Athlone was made on the recommendation of the Dominion government, Mr. King said.

Mr. King said the new governor-general would come to Canada as soon as he could wind up his affairs in England but that it was likely to be carried on for the full term of five years.

Because of wartime secrecy surrounding trans-Atlantic travel the date of sailing will not be announced. For the same reasons the customary welcome and swearing-in at the port of arrival in Canada will be delayed until His Excellency reaches Ottawa.

In any event the new governor-general will not reach Canada until some time in June, and he will be too late to open parliament. This ceremony will be conducted by Sir Lyman Duff, chief justice of Canada and administrator since the death of Lord Tweedsmuir.

Many in Ottawa recalled the dashing figure of the Earl of Athlone, then Prince Alexander of Teck, when he visited Canada in 1901 in company with the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, who afterwards became King George V. and Queen Mary.

"He was a very fine looking man," said a government official who accompanied the royal party in 1901. "I remember how well he looked on horseback, and how extremely pleasant and amiable he was at all times."

The Earl of Athlone was proposed as successor to Lord Tweedsmuir, whose normal term would have expired this summer, when the King and Queen were in Canada last year.

"During the course of several conversations with His Majesty," Mr. King said, "I had occasion to speak of a successor to Lord Tweedsmuir. I had every reason then to believe that the Earl of Athlone would be acceptable both to His Majesty and to Canada."

Because the Dominion election

## NEW SECRETARY



Harry Albert Scott, former Canadian Trade Commissioner in Liverpool, England, Buenos Aires and Shanghai, China, who has been appointed Secretary to the Supervisory Board of the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan at Ottawa.

campaign was under way when Lord Tweedsmuir died, Mr. King said he felt it was not wise to proceed at once with the recommendation of a successor and he so advised the King on Feb. 15.

Last Friday a communication was sent to His Majesty by the prime minister recommending the appointment of the Earl of Athlone and on the following day he was advised that the appointment had been accepted.

"At the moment the Earl of Athlone feels he cannot say how long he will be able to stay in Canada. This is a time of war and he thinks it would be inadvisable to commit himself for a full term in view of all the circumstances."

"Naturally we would want him here to open the new parliament but he has much to do before leaving England and I doubt if it will be possible for him to come here until some time in June."

"I think parliament should be called to meet as soon as possible and it is not advisable to wait."

The Earl of Athlone was nominated as governor-general of Canada in 1914 to relieve the Duke of Connaught who was appointed in 1911. But war came before the earl left England and he was released for military duties while the Duke of Connaught carried on here for his full term, which expired in 1916.

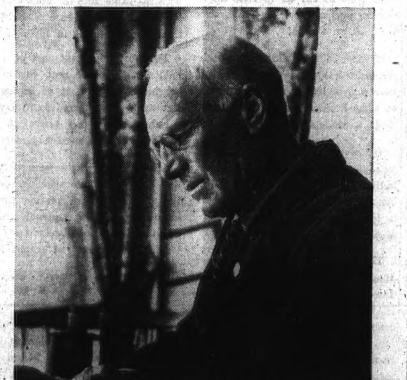
The earl actually addressed a few pleasant sentences as governor-general elect to the Canadian Blesley team on Blesley common in July, 1914. When the outbreak of hostilities caused the appointment to be cancelled, the Duke of Connaught, a much older man and brother of King Edward VII, remained at his Ottawa post until late in 1916.

At that time the governor-general was nominated and appointed by the King after consulting with the Dominion government. Since Canada attained the status of a nation the Dominion government has made its own nomination. The first governor-general so nominated was Viscount Willingdon in 1926.

## Princess Mary Reviews Troops

Aldershot, Eng.—Princess Mary reviewed the Royal Canadian Corps of Signals, dressed in the khaki-shirred uniform of their colonel-in-chief. The corps, in full battle kit, was inspected rank by rank by her royal highness. Then, with Lieut. Col. J. E. Genet at their head, they marched past as she took the salute from a canopied, red-carpeted reviewing stand.

## FAMOUS CANADIAN NATURALIST CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY



On April 10th, Jack Miner, Canada's famous naturalist, celebrated his seventy-fifth birthday. Above is a recent photograph of Mr. Miner taken in his study at Kingsville, Ontario.

## Prohibits Publication

Order Issued In Connection With Russian Newspaper In Winnipeg

Ottawa.—An extra edition of the Canada Gazette, containing an order from Justice Minister Lapointe, in his capacity as acting secretary of state, prohibiting publication of the Russian language paper Kanadsky Gidok (the Canadian Whistle) at Winnipeg. The order was issued under Defence of Canada regulations preventing dissemination of subversive propaganda.

"It has been represented that the publication Kanadsky Gidok, published in the Russian language at Winnipeg, has been disseminating subversive and pro-Nazi propaganda among persons of Russian origin in western Canada with a view to assisting the enemy and undermining the loyalty of such persons in Canada," said the order.

## CHURCHILL WILL DIRECT THE ARMED FORCES OF BRITAIN

London.—Prime Minister Chamberlain, in a long-heralded government reorganization, appointed Winston Churchill to direct all British armed services and direct the war effort against Germany among three key committees.

Mr. Churchill will be chairman of the services ministers' committee. Sir Kingsley Wood becomes lord privy seal to head the home policy committee which will deal with social and domestic problems, including food and agriculture.

Sir John Simon, chancellor of the exchequer, presides over the economic policy committee. Its members will be the ministers who handle financial and trade matters.

Mr. Churchill in assuming new duties that will make him the chief strategist of the war cabinet, will remain as first lord of the admiralty, where he directs the blockade, the chief Allies' weapon to date in the war with Germany.

Sir Samuel Hoare, veteran cabinet minister and holder of many portfolios during the last 10 years, succeeded to the "much-criticized" air ministry, where he will take up the task of making Britain invincible in the air. He and Sir Kingsley Wood exchanged their portfolios. Sir Samuel having been lord privy seal since the war broke out.

These appointments, and the resignation of admiral of the fleet Lord Chatfield as minister of the co-ordination of defence, completed the changes within the war cabinet, which now has eight members.

Outside that group there were a number of important changes. Chief among these were the appointment of Robert Hudson as shipping minister and Lord Woolton as food minister.

It was announced that Sir Samuel Hoare would be the aid of Lord Riverdale who, since his return from a mission to Canada in connection with the empire air training plan, has had special duties relating to acceleration of aeronautical production, in his capacity as vice-president of the supply office of the air council.

Chief interest centred upon Mr. Churchill's new position.

A statement from 10 Downing street said the first lord of the admiralty will preside over the service committee "to keep under constant review the main factors in the strategic situation and progress of operations and make recommendations to the war cabinet on the general conduct of the war."

In addition to guiding the efforts of the admiralty war and air ministries—the admiralty directly and the others through his new chairmanship—he will also have jurisdiction over the work of the ministry of supply as the minister, Leslie Burgin, will be a member of the service ministers' committee.

Serving also in this group will be Oliver Stanley, the war secretary, Sir Samuel Hoare, the new air secretary, their chiefs of staff and Mr. Churchill's first sea lord—Admiral Sir Dudley Pound.

It has been no secret that Mr. Churchill has desired authority of some sort over the other services since the start of the war. He is believed to have felt that the Gallipoli landing during the last war might not have failed if he then had direction over the land forces as well as the fleet.

Outside the war cabinet, the change that attracted the most attention was the appointment of Mr. Hudson who, at 64, is called one of the brightest minds of the Conservative party, to replace Sir John Gifford, who died recently, as minister of shipping.

## GENERAL ODLUM WILL COMMAND SECOND DIVISION

Ottawa.—Brigadier-General W. W. Odium has been selected to command the second Canadian division of the Canadian Active Service Force, Hon. Norman Rogers, minister of defence, announced.

"In making this selection the government of Canada has been influenced by General Odium's long and distinguished career and his devotion to the service of his country, both in the field and as a citizen of Canada," Mr. Rogers' statement said.

General Odium, born in 1880, started his military career at the age of 17 as a private in the 22nd Oxford Rifles at Woodstock, Ont.

After joining the 2nd battalion of the Royal Canadian Regiment in 1899, he went to South Africa where he participated in operations in the Orange Free State, including operations at the Battle of Tlokoeng, Poplar Grove, Drifontsdorp, Heutsel and Zand River. For his services, he was awarded the Queen's South African medal with three clasps.

On his return to Canada, he followed courses at Victoria college and the University of Toronto, specializing in political economy. He returned later to South Africa as a lieutenant in the Third Canadian Mounted Rifles.

On his return to Canada, he was appointed provisional 2nd lieutenant in the 48th Highlanders of the Canadian militia in Toronto. In 1903 he was transferred with the same rank to the 6th regiment (Duke of Connaught's) of the Canadian militia.

Later he became a lieutenant in the 102nd regiment at Nelson, B.C. In 1910 upon the formation of the 100th Winnipeg Grenadiers, he was transferred to that regiment as a provisional captain. He was promoted captain April 1, 1910.

In August, 1913, he rejoined the militia. He was appointed a captain in the regiment (Irish Fusiliers) of the Canadian militia. He was promoted major in the 101st Bn. At the outbreak of the Great War, he was appointed major in the 7th Battalion, C.E.F., and saw active service in France.

He became a lieutenant-colonel and officer commanding this unit in April, 1915. In 1916 he was promoted brigadier-general and appointed to command the 11th Canadian Infantry Brigade. He was then 35 years of age.

General Odium was thrice wounded (the first time in August, 1915, and then in May, 1916, and September, 1918).

## Italian Mobilization

Children Are Being Called Up For War Work

Rome.—A law making women and children over 13 subject to mobilization for war work behind the lines was adopted by the Italian cabinet in a session devoted to making Italy prepared and self-sufficient.

The civilian mobilization is intended to fill the ranks of anti-aircraft fighters, home defence workers and factory hands.

Construction of new military roads at undisclosed locations was authorized, and more coast artillery and anti-aircraft guns were ordered.

Virginia Gayda, Fascist editorial spokesman, commenting on the latter project, said this was "more opportune than ever" in view of "insistent, if impudent threats which repeatedly echo in some French and British newspapers concerning possible attacks by foreign fleets upon Italian coasts."

## One Canadian Honored

Calgary Pilot Receives Distinguished Flying Cross From King George

London.—King George decorated 30 men and one woman for distinguished war service at special ceremonies in Buckingham palace.

Miss Clara Taylor of the Royal Air Force underwent service received the Royal Red Cross.

The only Canadian honored at the investiture was Acting Flight Lieutenant Henry Niven of Calgary, awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for "gallantry and devotion to duty in the execution of air operations."

## Edison Plaque Unveiled

Stratford, Ont.—A plaque in memory of the late Thomas Alva Edison who worked here as a telegraph operator in 1863-64 was unveiled by Dr. W. J. Browning, 97, said to be the oldest living telegraph operator on the North American continent. Thomas Edison died in 1931.



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tions the Social Credit vote lagged.The most pathetic picture in the  
world is a horse fly sitting on a rad-  
iator cap.The 36 Social Credit members of  
the Alberta legislature will face an  
opposition of 21.Dr. H. K. Groff, for many years  
chief medical officer of the Workmen's  
Compensation Board, has been dis-  
missed, with no reasons for dismissal  
given.No, air! Able won't throw away the  
Bible if it can accumulate followers  
to support him to the extent of nine  
thousand bucks a year or more. Boy,  
be faithful!Staff Sergeant George Harvey, of  
Lehrbridge, and Sgt. J. A. Cawsey,  
of Blairmore, have left for Regina to  
attend a special two weeks' mounted  
police course.Wouldn't it be a sight to see Cana-  
da's premier touring into all the rid-  
ings of the Dominion to make final  
choice of candidates? Actions small  
as that are known only to Alberta.Mrs. McCorquodale is the only  
woman I know to wear the first tooth  
of her eldest child (an attractive  
daughter with the unusual name of  
Raine) set in diamonds on her brace-  
let.—London Daily Sketch."A guy met Harvey Carmichael on  
the street Monday with the remark:  
"Hello, Harvey, are you related to  
that Carmichael in the Calgary zoo?"  
Harvey was so taken aback that he  
hasn't quite recovered since.It is likely that Rev. Roy Taylor,  
former member for the Pincher Creek  
provincial constituency and deputy  
speaker of the last legislature, will  
be appointed provincial librarian,  
which post has been vacant since  
1935.A large quantity of yard goods  
stolen a few weeks ago from a Cal-  
gary tailoring establishment, has  
been recovered, cached in the north  
hill. In practically the same region,  
two revolvers were found some days  
ago.Crow Flag, of the Peigan Indian  
Reservation, was on Thursday last  
elected chief, succeeding Man Who  
Smokes, who died last January. Crow  
Flag is the son of a noted warrior of  
other days. There were four nomi-  
nations.The question was asked on Sunday  
last: "Don't you know there's a Lord's  
Day Act?" The answer came: "Sure,  
kindly put that question to Mr. Aber-  
hart. He does bigger business on  
Sunday than the average poor indi-  
vidual can do in a week!"A car was noticed passing through  
Blairmore on Sunday afternoon last  
with no back-seat drivers. But, far  
worse, there were five young people  
in the front seat and three of them  
on top of or controlling the wheel.  
There is no more dangerous practice.Copies of the Vancouver Daily  
Province are now delivered at the  
doors of subscribers on rainy days  
wrapped in waxed paper. The idea  
has proven popular with both sub-  
scribers and advertisers, and favor-  
able reaction has been received by  
the paper.Six steamers of the Newfoundland  
sealing fleet report the best kills of  
many seasons, practically all loaded.  
One ship in the Gulf, the Terra Nova,  
so old that she should be grey—practi-  
cally three score and ten—reported  
jammed in the fies and unable to  
reach the seals.In a recent issue of The Enterprise  
it was stated that "Enquiries about  
Canadians who are interested in Bel-  
gium or other neutral countries  
should be addressed to the Depart-  
ment of External Affairs, Ottawa, or  
the Canadian Legation or British Em-  
bassy concerned." This, we are in-  
formed was incorrect. Such enquiries  
should be addressed to Colonel Hu-  
bert Stetham, Director Prisoners of  
War Information Bureau, Department  
of the Secretary of State, Ottawa.**Local and General Items**The Editor will be glad to receive items for this section, regarding visitors  
entertained, parties leaving for holidays or short trips, bridge parties, teas,  
showers, presentations, anniversaries, etc. Phone items in to 11 or hand them  
in at The Enterprise office not later than Thursday evenings.John Piro, of Blairmore, is prac-  
tice teaching at Chipman, Alberta.At the White House, Mrs. Roosevelt  
is known as "Public Energy Num-  
ber One."Gossip is like mud thrown against  
a clean wall; it may not stick, but it  
leaves a mark.The town council of Macleod grant-  
ed \$10 to the Salvation Army war  
services fund.Able knows! He said that "the hand  
of God was at the helm" when he  
was re-elected.Salary increases, effecting some  
8,500 government employees, has been  
planned at Ottawa.D. M. Duggan, of Edmonton, has  
resigned the leadership of the Alber-  
ta Conservative Party.Hitler, supposed to end his career  
by the suicide route several months  
ago, is still working—overtime."Blitzkrieg" in lightning war that  
never strikes in the same place once,  
declared Vic Oliver in a wisecrack!Angus J. Morrison, M.L.A., secre-  
tary of District 18 of the U. M. W.  
of A., was in town over the week end.A schoolboy, asked to write an es-  
say on the Arctic region, wrote: "An  
Eskimo is one of God's frozen people."Mr. and Mrs. A. Rhys, of Hillcrest,  
have taken up residence in Blairmore.  
Mr. Rhys having secured employment  
here.Six years ago, in the Crossfield dis-  
trict, farmers were all working on  
the land and some seedling had been  
done.No man yet ever had a policy of  
selling at cut prices without meeting  
his own cut prices later on. Think  
that over."I'm Gladys Zell," said a bouncing  
looking young lady a few days ago,  
introducing herself to Gordon Mac.  
"Oh," he replied, "So am I!"In our issue last week, we omitted  
mentioning the fact that the Eiks  
"Travelling gavel" was presented by  
officers of Macleod Lodge to the local  
lodge.H. O. Purkis, of Pincher Creek, re-  
ceived word last week of the death  
of his father, C. G. Purkis, at Lad-  
desdown, Kent, England, on March  
the 11th.Born, at the St. Eugene hospital,  
Cranbrook, on Tuesday, April 2nd, to  
Dr. and Mrs. Harnania (nee Mae  
Maltman), of Windsor, Ontario, a  
daughter.Some townspeople are really silly.  
Why, in one town in Alberta, they  
have gone so far as to elect an ed-  
itor as mayor for the twelfth term.  
Well, of all things!If some of the talking about what  
Aberhart has done during the last  
four and a half years was directed  
at what he hasn't done nor intended  
to do, a whole lot more could be said.We were asked on Saturday last  
"who is leader of the Liberal party  
in Blairmore?" Well, Mackenzie King  
has never been here, and 'twould take  
a lot of local material to make a  
Mackenzie King.The minister of national defence  
announced on April 4th that Brig-  
adier-General V. W. Odium, C.B., C.M.  
G., D.S.O., V.D., has been selected to  
command the Second Canadian Divi-  
sion, Canadian Active Service Force.  
In making this selection, the govern-  
ment of Canada has been influenced  
by General Odium's long and distin-  
guished career, and his devotion to  
the service of his country, both in  
the field and as a citizen of Canada.  
He was born on October 21st, 1880.Fred McKenzie was down from Fer-  
nie on a visit Monday.During the week the Nazis have  
sunk a few more Norwegian ships—  
neutrals.George J. Drobey has been sent up  
for trial on the charge of conversion  
of funds.Where in the Bible are "pollywogs"  
referred to, Mr. Aberhart? And,  
also, "stoopigole lawyers"?A mob of about three hundred sol-  
diers attacked the home of a Calgary  
negro on Saturday evening last.We should have an election at least  
once a year. Seems to be about the  
only method of exposing the liars.The allies have decided to mine  
Norwegian territorial waters as a  
further means of blockading Ger-  
many.You can't fool all the people all  
of the time, declares the Milwaukee  
Journal. Once every four years is  
enough.EYES EXAMINED—Glasses fitted.  
Blairmore Pharmacy, Saturday after-  
noon, April 13, E. J. ANDERSON in  
attendance.Charles R. Barry, president and  
managing director of the Coal Valley  
Mining Co., Ltd., died in Quebec city  
on March 29th.Harvey Wheatcroft, piano tuner,  
will make regular visits to the Stave-  
ly district. His ad appears in the  
Staveley Advertiser.Heading in last week's Creston Re-  
view reads: "Creston to Have Three  
Entires in East Kootenay Drama Festi-  
val." Some drama!"It's your God-given right to suf-  
fer some more."—Aberhart. And  
they're going to suffer some more for  
another four years, probably.During a recent heavy snowfall, the  
roof of a dance hall at Castor, Al-  
berta, caved in. Fortunately, no one  
was in the building at the time.We have offered Joe Wetall the time  
one dollar if four years from now  
Aberhart has established a bank in  
Alberta under a Dominion charter.Pupils of several rural schools on  
the outskirts of Calgary were given  
a holiday to attend the Calgary  
Spring Horse Show with their par-  
ents.American sportsmen have contrib-  
uted \$125,000 to establish permanent  
watered breeding areas for wild  
ducks in the drought areas of Cana-  
da's prairie provinces.Premier Mackenzie King, remarks  
the New York Times, seems to have  
come out of the Canadian election  
with the same kind of reduced major-  
ity that was everywhere predicted for  
President Roosevelt in 1936.The most important part of a free  
publicity pamphlet sent out by the  
provincial department of agriculture  
last week and referred to "5½ yards  
1 rod, and 16½ feet 1 rod." A little  
too long for our closed streams.Alberta bond prices were rising in  
the hope of a government defeat.  
But when the voters returned the Ab-  
erhart government, the bonds dropped  
about ten points. Alberta 4 per cent  
bonds, due 1954, sell at around 60.An interesting visitor to Blairmore  
this week was Dominico "Red" Pas-  
salunghi, now of Creston. Dominico  
will be remembered by many in The  
Pass, having been a resident of Blair-  
more for a great many years. Nine  
years ago he paid a visit of twelve  
months to his former home in Italy.  
Upon his return he located at Pen-  
tiction, and two years ago moved to  
Creston, where he is now employed  
on the Frank Colli fruit plantation.Someone asked a few days ago:  
Why are there so many pigs blind in  
Blairmore?Mrs. R. W. Harold Pinkney is in  
Edmonton this week, attending the  
annual provincial convention of the  
I. O. O. F.E. O. Duke, M.L.A., and Mrs.  
Duke, were in town during the week  
from Canmore. It is rumored they  
will take up residence in this district  
shortly.Trouble with the modern parking system  
is that you can't get out of it in the middle.Some person a few days (or nights)  
ago used a saw to disconnect part  
of the guard-rail of the Sixth Avenue  
footbridge across the river. Police  
should investigate.BRICK FOR SALE — Reclaimed  
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